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SUBJ: SALE OF ADDITIONAL TRAWLERS TO GOS

1. DR. IBRA MAMADOU WANE, DEPUTY AND PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS HAS CONFIRMED THAT GOS MINISTRY OF FINANCE HAS SIGNED NOTES FOR $7 MILLION FOR PURCHASE OF 2 TRAWLERS FROM WHITTAKER COMMERCIAL BOATS OF MIAMI. DR. WANE IS ALSO PRESIDENT OF NEW COMPANY, SOCIETE DES PECHES AMERICANO-SENEGALAISE, WHICH WILL OPERATE BOATS AND PURCHASE ADDITIONAL BOATS IN FUTURE. NOTES HAVE BEEN PLACED WITH MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST OF NEWYORK, AND DR. WANE GAVE NAME OF MR. GARCIA AT MH AS OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: REQUEST COMMERCE CONTACT JEROME FOX OF WHITTAKER COMMERCIAL BOATS (TEL 305-634-2997), MIAMI, FLORIDA AND PASS ON INFO IN PARA 1 ABOVE. IN RESPONSE TO COMMERCIAL CABLE SENT BY WHITTAKER TO EMBASSY. NOTE: THIS TRANSACTION NOT RELATED IN ANY WAY TO PAN AFRICAN AIRWAYS FISHING PROPOSALS.
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